THE THORP CONTEST.

NO FRAUDS PERPETRATED AND NO FRAUDS CAN BE PROVED.

Walton-Law Constables a Much

PETERSBURG, VA., February 23. pecial.)—If the testimony taken before e various notary publics in the Fourth ongressional District in the matter of the contest of Mr. Thorp for Mr. Mc-Kenney's seat in the next Congress could true character it would afford great

musement to the reading public. It has
generally been affirmed that the last

congressional election was affirmed to the congressional election with the congressional election was affirmed to the congressional election was a congressional election. all respects of any elections held in this district and in the State for many years past, and in all of the depositions so far taken no fraud has been proved, and as so fraud was perpetrated none will be

served under the Walton law are a muchabused class of people. They performed their duties faithfully and honestly, and

and Prince George have not been attacked. These counties gave majorities for Mr. Thorp.

From friends of Mr. McKenney it is carned that he feels thoroughly confident of his success in this contest, and thoryughly comfortable as to his position. He will argue his own case before the Committee on Elections and before Congress, and if he does not prove an honest election and a case of contest without grounds his friends will be much disappointed.

WHAT A REPUBLICAN PAPER SAYS. WHAT A REPUBLICAN PAPER SAYS.
In respect to this contest it may here be added that the Petersburg Heraid, the representative paper of the colored race in this section, says: "The colored people were more apathetic last fall than hey have been in the district at any time tince the war, and the reason Mr. Thorp was not elected was because he did, not get enough votes to elect him. The thoughful colored voters all over this district voice these sentiments." The Heraid pronounces Mr. Thorp's cause to be a weak one.

BASE-BALL NEWS.

In addition to the names of the players already given in this correspondence as having signed with the Petersburg Club, the following may be added as having been signed to-day:

Perry, of Indianapolis, in-fielder.

McClung, of last year's Nashville team, in the Southern League, catcher.

J. McJames, pitcher, will certainly be with the Petersburg club, notwithstanding all reports to the contrary.

Lanier, of Oxford, N. C., has also signed as infielder.

OWN AND IMPROVE. BASE-BALL NEWS.

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It is expected that the proposed new riding and driving club about to be shortly orsanized with abundant capital will own and improve their own grounds just outside of the city.

It is said that, the "educated" colored voters, in giving their testimony in behalf of Mr. Thorp, the contestant of Mr. McKenney, spelled Mr. Thorp's name in fifty or more different ways.

Mr. Honeycutt, the ladies' favorite in the last year's base-ball team, will not be with us this year.

be with us this year. Returns of the income-tax are coming

business for the last several years are being put to much trouble, and are losing heavily, as the new-horn lambs freeze to death in the fields without great care, and sometimes die in spite of it.

The Wytheville boys have invented a novel way of coasting. They harness up one or two quiet old horses, fasten a row of sleds one behind the other, hitch the first one to the horses, mount the sleds by ones, twos, or threes, and then drive all over town, yelling and cheering as they go. They have been able to induce some of their school-girl friends to join them in the last day or two, and their exuberant, innocent joy is not disturbed by any worry over the "hard times" or the "severe weather." It is a good thing to have one element of pure, spontaneous joility in a community, and "the boys" usually furnish it.

Mr. Givens, who lives near Rural Remeater to this county sold his farm, farm.

pretty Lunenburg Wedding.

LUNENBURG COURTHOUSE. VA.,

February 23.—(Special.)—At the Methodist church here on Thursday, at it o'clock, Miss Lizzie o'tis Cardoza and Dr. John Robert Couch were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Dr. L. L.

Spencer.

The bride, who is the charming daughter of Mr. Absalom Hines, a miller, living near Beverly Furnace, in this county, aged 72 years, and Miss Anni Wetzel, a maiden lady, of Rural Retreat, the pastor of the conventional black. He is a young been solemnly made one emused the passengers on the train which bore them to

gains in desirable goods.

their destination by their loving demonstrations.

The young ladies of the faculty of Plumer College entertained "The Thursday" most delightfully this week. All the enjoyment possible was crowded into the afternoon, as the members, having decided to adjourn during Lent, felt that another such opportunity would not be theirs for some weeks.

The Current Events Club has also adjourned until after Easter.

Those ladies (members of the lastnamed club) whose religious beliefs do not require a season of abstinence and church-going, being not averse to a quiet home-staying time, during which little garments may be fashioned and linenchests replenished.

Friends of Miss Fannie Taliaferro Tinsley, of your city, in Wytheville have received cards to the marriage of that attractive young lady, at her home, on Marshall street, on February 26th, and they will waft her many good wishes on that day.

Mrs. J. G. Hollbrook, of Bluefield, is in

PERSONAL Mrs. H. H. Maury is at home again, after a visit of six weeks to her sister. Mrs. Gait, in Washington, D. C. The Choral Club is practicing "Pinafore," which they will give publicly after Lent. An effort is being made by this club to secure the old "free-school building," on Main street, and convert it into

an opera-house.

Mr. J. E. Blair has purchased the lot on the corner of Sixth and Main streets, and will build a handsome house on it in

did not get credit for their honest work by the Republican and Populist parties, who are prosecuting this contest on their belief of fraud.

THORP COUNTIES.

In this respect it may be stated that the returns from the counties of Powhatan and Prince George have not been attacked. These counties gave majorities

ALONG LOWER RAPPAHANNOCK.

A Weather-Bound Section Where There Is Good Sleighing.

IRVINGTON, VA., February 23 .- (Special.)-This section has been weatherbound for the past two weeks. The Rappahannock has been frozen from shore to shore. Our mails have been very much delayed, hence we have had very little news from the outside world. Our people have been enjoying the pleasures of sleigh-riding and skating. Carter's creek has been so solidly frozen that it has become a public highway for pedestrians. The snowfall has been very heavy, in many places piling up in huge drifts.

Many wild ducks collect around the air-holes in the ice, and our local sports have had high fun shooting them.

Over thirty oyster vessels have been frozen up in Carter's creek. Two tugs from Baltimore came down on Saturday and carried out large tows to Baltimore. This gladdened the hearts of the boatmen, as oysters are bringing fancy prices in market. to shore. Our mails have been very much

owned by J. F. Bussels & Co., of Irving-on, has been sold to Woodall & Co., of ton, has been sont
Baltimore.

There are several new cases of smallpox in this (Lancaster) and Richmond
counties. The school boards contemplate
having the pupils of the public schools
vacinated. There is not much fear of
the disease spreading, as the section
where these cases are has been practically
conventined.

Judge Ewell has appointed commissioners to view and report on disputed oystergrounds at Towles Point and Whealton.

A distressing fire occurred near White Stone, Lancaster county, on Friday last. During the fearful gale on that day the dwelling of Mr. Jerry Secebree, with all its contents were destroyed by fire. The family lost everything, saving but little more than the clothing they had on. Several small children were severely frost-bitten while their home was being converted to ashes. Mr. Secebree is a deserving, industrious man, with a large family dependent on him.

SUDDEN DEATHS. Judge Ewell has appointed commission

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Several very sad and sudden deaths have occurred in this county the past week. Mrs. G. W. Forrester went to bed on Tuesday night apparently well. About Department of the bank was courted.

WYTHEVILLE, VA. February 21.—
(Special.)—The weather has grown to be a monotonous subject of conversation, and yet it so effectually interferes with everything and everybody that it is impossible to ignore it.

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nights since by dogs. The curs were

killed.
The Democratic County Committee has set April 19th as the date for holding the nominating convention for the spring election. Candidates are numerous but everything is harmonious.
Birds and rabbits are being exterminated by the protracted severe weather. A hawk, measuring four feet from tip to the was continued inside a four-house.

tip, was captured inside a fowl-house, whither he had gone seeking prey. Foxes are living high on birds and rabbits which are too weak to evade them.

THE SOUNDS OPENED.

ICE BREAKING UP AND NAVIGA-TION PRACTICALLY RESUMED.

Chesapeake and Dismal-Swamp Canals Still Closed, But Norfolk Harbor Clear-Saloon Damaged by Fire-Sam. Borum Re-Elected.

NORFOLK, VA., February 23.-(Spe

cial.)-There is yet about eight inches of ice on the Currituck and Albemarie sounds, but the steamers have broken through, and navigation is practically resumed. The tues are having difficulty on the Albemarle and Chesapeake canal in getting vessels through, and traffic has been at a standstill on the Dismal Swamp canal since the freeze set in, and continues. The vessels disabled by the blizzard continue to keep a good force of men employed at the ship-yards. The harbor above and below is now entirely clear of ice, and all the steam lines are running with but little delay. The past few bright days have made a wonderful change, much to the relief of all sorts of

Farragut Post, Grand Army of the Republic, of Portsmouth, honored Wash-ington's birthday with a celebration last night. There were other entertainments in honor of the day.

AS EVANGELIST. It is reported that Rev. R. W. Webb,

It is reported that Rev. R. W. Webb, now stationed in Portsmouth, will not take a location at the next meeting of the Virginia Conference, but will travel and labor as an evangelist.

The saloon of J. F. Pace, in Portsmouth, was damaged by fire last night.

Mr. Samuel R. Borum, for the last ten years superintendent and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been relected to the position. Mr. W. W. Vicar is the new president of the Chamber.

RELIEVED.

The destitute colored people of this city have been greatly assisted during the heavy freeze; several hundred daily from the various supply-depots, and one hair of the money donated by the city. With the return of good weather, the people are now getting to work. All charitable organizations have been heavily taxed this winter.

MALINE DISASTERS. MARINE DISASTERS.

The schooner Henry Finch, from New The schooner Henry Finch, from New York to James river, arrived here to-day, having been frozen up in the river, and badly leaking and cut through by ice. The crew of the wrecked fishing-schoon-er Water Lily arrived here to-day from Anateague. The schooner went to pieces.

WRECKED BANK OF LEXINGTON.

E. L. Godwin Waives Examination and Is Balled-Figgatt Went West. LEXINGTON, VA., February 23.—(Special.)-The case of R. K. Godwin, the cial.)—The case of R. K. Godwin, the book-keeper of the collapsed Bank of Lexington, who was arrested on last Saturday night on the charge of "having on the — December, 1894, feloniously made, altered, and omitted to make certain entries in an account kept at Bank of Lexington" came up for trial before Mayor Haughawout to-day. A preliminary examination was waived, and the case was sent to the special grand jury called for the March term of the County Court. A new bond was furnished for \$8,000, with the following on it: B. K. Godwin, for \$2,000, and R. S. Anderson, John P. Weish, C. W. Irvine, E. L. Graham, John M. Quiesenberry, and E. A. Quiesenberry for \$1,000 cach. The accused was represented by Hon, J. Randolph Tucker and Frank T. Glasgow, who stated that as counsel for Mr. Godwin, a full investigation of the charge of being an accomplice in the wrecking of the bank was courted.

There were no new developments in the wrecked banks affairs to-day, and so far the amount already reported remains the same.

"The conductor on the Chesapeake and." book-keeper of the collapsed Bank of

to-day \$12,000 or a total of \$20,000 since the time of opening.

ICE BROKEN AT SCOTTSVILLE.

Snow Slowly Disappearing-Gypsies Trading Horses-Personal Notes. SCOTTSVILLE, VA., February 23.—(Special.)—The ice broke up in James river yesterday about noon and this morning it is all clear as usual.

The snow goes away very slowly, though the sun has shone out beautifully for three or four days past. It is quite cold at night, the thermometer going down to 20 or less.

JULIUS SYCLE & SONS,

Corner Second and Broad.

greeable month of February, our store is crowded with buyers, for they always find bar-

We Have No Trash-Nothing Shoddy on Our Shelves.

is now complete. In order for your dress to fit well, wear well, and look stylish, you must have good linings. Our fancy linings will be sold Monday for loc. Fancy Plaids for Children's Dresses, 5c. Genuine Hair Cloth, sells everywhere for 50c.; our price, 25c.

Imitation Hair Cloth, 10, 12 1-2, 15, and 10c. 25c.

Imitation Hair Cloth, 10, 12 1-2, 15, and 10c. 25c.

Parents Good Tacks to-morrow, 5c.

We are sure that such supreme values as we offer this week, of which the follow-

TO WATE IT

church at this place, celebrated his sorth birthday a few days since, and had present many of his near friends. Among the presents he received was an elegant slik crany-quilt from the ladies of Fluvanna church, of which he is pastor. Miss Louila Sinsad, a niece of Mr. John Pitts, of this place, arrived here this week from Dixon, Cal. She came via New Orleans, where she spent some days with

cial.)-The February term of the Superior

Court for this county adjourned yester-

Ben Enyson, a negro, aged of, got dimental policy and fell out of the back-door of Edward Beasley's store and broke his neck, dying instantly.

The steamer Bertie left her wharf this morning for Plymouth, the first time that she has been able to make a trip in two weeks, owing to the river being frozen.

Fair Election in Mecklenburg.

BOYDTON, VA., February 23.—(Special.) While Commonwealth's-Attorney Thorp is representing himself in his contest-case in

mond.

The merchants here are doing a good business, and do not complain any more

of hard times.

Boydton can boast of two excellent banking institutions, with a banking capital of over three hundred thousand dol-

Mrs. Patty Holland Dead.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., February 23.—(Special)—A telegram, was received here this morning announcing the death of Mrs. Patty Holland, widow of R. H. Holland, which occurred at her home, near Wilmington, Fluvanna county. She was 70 years of age, and a sister of Mesers. F. M., W. S., and B. B. Wills, of this place.

day evening.

Oricans, where she spent some days with an aunt. She found anow there ten inches deep. She will remain several months, visiting her Virginia relatives. BERTIE'S SUPERIOR COURT.

An Aged Negro Falls While Drunk and Brenks His Neck. WINDSOR, N. C., February 23.—(Spe-REDUCTIONS! tentiary for two years and one month for larceny. Tweive were sentenced to the county jail for terms varying from two months to one year. Among them was a boy of 19 years, who has never done a lick of work in his life, and who has recently said that his hands were not BARGAINS! made to work with. All of the convicts were negroes. Ben Ellyson, a negro, aged 70, got drunk

Bear in mind that we are prepared to continue the sale of

BARGAINS

IN ALL OUR

Winter Goods,

PARTICULARLY IN

WRAPS.

We are selling them actually at half their value, as many of our customers can testify who bought them at the low figures we put on them.

Spring Capes.	We show a pretty line of these, and now is the time to make your selections.
Silk Waists.	If you wish a Silk Waist, come and look at ours. We have the latest. We take orders on them and make them at one day's notice.
Muslin Underwear.	Just received an entire new stock at prices lower than ever. If we can't please you no other house can.

Dress Goods

We are noted for having the best-selected and most stylish line of DRESS GOODS and SILKS, and are now ready to show you the result of our recent purchases. Give us a call if you wish to be suited in a nice dress for Spring and Our own importations, and you will

Wash Silks and Swivel Silks.

find patterns no other house can show, and at prices to suit everybody. Full lines of all kinds of Wash Goods Wash Fabrics of every description open for your in-

spection. We are receiving daily the newest things out in Laces, Embroideries, Veil-

202 Fifth Avenue, N. Y. In Richmond: MRS. L. WILDT, 219 east Broad

26c. quality Dotted Moll, for curtains and

MATTINGS.

Now is the time to buy Mattings. You

can save money right here. We were for tunate enough last week to buy 200

nants among them. Fourth floor-take elevator.

THAYER'S BABY-CARRIAGES.

Only house in the city that handles them. You can't find these carriages

elsewhere; they are something new. Look at "Thayer's" before you make a purchase. This is the first season that they have been introduced here—only soll

in large towns. Thayer's Carriages are from \$5 to \$50. Will be pleased to show

you the line on exhibition Monday, fourth

NEW LACES.

COLORS:

sample bottle of "Imperial Venus it," a coloring for the cheeks, will be it on receipt of 2-cent stamp.

t. Black. S. Light Chestnut.
2. Dark Brown 6, Gold Blond.
3. Medium Brown. 7, Ash Blond.
4. Chestnut. Price \$1.50 and \$3.

The Deleware Senatoriality.

Perfectly restores a rich, lustrons color, makes the hair healthy, and is clean. Steaming, sait, or Turkisa baths do not affect it. It is as natural as nature. Detection impossible. "Your preparation has my cordial recommendation. I believe there is nothing in the world for the bait like it." ADELINA PATTI NICOLINI. ADELINA PATTI NICOLINI.

IMPERIAL CHEMICAL M'FG. COMPANY,

DOVER, DEL., February 23.—The General Assembly had one ballot on the senatorial question to-day. Very little interest was taken, and the ballot resulted; Higgins (Republican), 5; Massey (Republican), 2; Wolcott (Democrat), 6; Causey (Democrat), 1; Bayard (Democrat), 1; Daily (Democrat), 1; Tunnell (Democrat), 1, Absent, 5. IMPERIAL HAIR REGENERATOR for "Spring."

and Novelties.

ings, Beaded Trimmings, Vandyke Lace Curtains, Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Corsets, LINENS. Handkerchiefs, &c. New line of MATTINGS at new prices. WHITE SPREADS at ex-

tremely low prices. PORTIERES and

Something for Housekeepers. Sheets and

LACE CURTAINS at special prices. SHEETS, full sizes, at 40, 45, 50, 55, and 60c. each. PILLOW-CASES at 8 and 10c., and

Buttermilk Soap.

Pillow-Cases.

best at 12½c. We are selling this useful article at 5c. a cake or 50c. a dozen. We have the genuine. Come and get some.

Remember, that for bargains in the ing random items give a few hints, have no equal in this town at present. 'Tis no exag- above and all kinds of Dry Goods and Nogeration to say that no matter what sort of weather prevails, even in this dull and disa-velties, call at

Fifth and Broad Streets.

NOS. 9 BROAD STREET and 1011 MAIN STREET.

Rolls of Mattings at just half the original price. Come and see 'em; they are cheap and good quality. Lots of rem-CUT GLASS. NOW OPEN AND ON DISPLAY AT OUR TWO STORES.

5 CENTS TO 50 CENTS EACH.

PITCHERS .- The Old Fnglish Tankard. WATER BOTTLES.—The Egyptian Shape. BERKY SAUCERS.—The George Washington "Colonial." Salad Bowls, Celery Dips, etc.
While looking at the Sparkling Glass "for the cottage as well as the palace,"
see our 25-cent counter, which is crowded with great values.

Housekeepers, now is the time to get what you want and save money.

[fe 24-Su, Tu&Th] HORSE-CLIPPER. FOR SALE.

The most complete stock of Laces in Vandyke Points and Maderia styles. Chiffon, all colors, double width, Se. Point d'Esprit, all colors, Se. VISIT SILK DEPARTMENT. Comprises MRS. S. E. POWELL.

703 west Clay street, hereby advertises her
ENTIRE TEAMING FOR SALE.

If not sold privately in a few days she
will sell the business by auction. fe 24-14 FOR SALE.

2 DELIVERY-WAGONS,

1 HORSE.
In good order. Can be seen at Lovenstein's stable. Fifth street between Marshall and Clay.

1 fe 23-31 many novelties for Shirt-Waist and Dress styles.

The LEONARD HORSE-CLIPPER is the finest machine in the world and clips closer and better than any machine yet invented. I clipped all the cracker jacks last year. Best of work guaranteed. Horses sent for and returned. Leave orders at stable, Ninth street near Broad street, or at Leonard's News Store, we cant Main.

N. LEONARD.

its cold and chilly smile into gay and rippling laughter. The Silks sparkle in their novelty; the Dress Goods reflect the gorgeous colorings, and the LACES, like the long-stilled waters of the babbling brooks, break forth in a silvery shower of glistening beauty.

PRICE COMPANY.

THE NEW FINERY.

Inch by inch spring is pushing winter into the back.

It is like the bursting forth of the sunlight long hidden

ground. To-day is fast falling into yesterday and to-mortow

is growing into the fullness of the present. What a reting

of lovely shades and ingenius colorings are to be seen in the

NEW SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.

behind the sombre clouds. A quickly forgotten past; a joy, ous expectant future, and this store is the carden in which

first blooms the rich and rare. Fashion secure to break from

THE SILKS.

Never before were such values

You often read of GREAT BAR-

GAINS, but when you read it in our advertisement you can depend

upon it being just what we claim it

Black Armure Silks, Black Moire Gaufre Silks, Genuine Japanese Silks, and Plain Taf-

feta Silks-every one actually worth from 75c. to \$1 a yard-

Black Satin-Finished Surah

Silk, Black Satin Duchess, Black Taffeta Silk, Extra-Fine Black Satin, and Figured China Silks—every one a regular \$1

quality in any house-and only

Black Ground Marvelleux

Silk, with colored stripes in Turquoise, Cerise, and Blu-ette, actual value \$1.50 a yard,

Black Satin Luxor, Satin

Marvelleux, Armure Royal, Peau de Soie, Faille Francaise,

and Satin-Finished Moire Fran-

caise—every one a regular \$1.25 value, and as good as can be bought to sell at that price—

Extra-Heavy Black Satin Mascotte, Black Gros de Cash-mere, Satin Duchess, Moire

Mirror, Moire Antique, and Armure Royals—all worth from

\$2 to \$2.25 a yard—and all marked this week

Figured Taffeta Silks-black

21-inch Striped Silks in the latest colorings—regular 85c, quality for 65c.

The popular Pin-Check Taffeta

A large variety of the new Persian

An immense variety of all the latest novelties in Silks for waists

Silks for skirts, and Silks for full

\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 a Yard.

Embroidered Black Silk Crepe de Chine with handsome colored

embroidery-regular \$3.75 quality

We are ready to show the products of our research in the "linen

world." If we were dealing in no

thing but Linens we could not serve you better. We have gath-ered our new stock with a view of

ble. You know what we have done

for you in the past. Suffice it to say, we have outdone ourselves in the selection of our present stock,

We are offering an exceptional op-portunity to proprietors of hotels, restaurants, boarding-houses, and

restaurants, boarding housekeepers in general to lay in a housekeepers in general to lay in a

do not think that prices will ever be

supply to last for some time.

lower than at present.

Silks-good weight and the regu-

lar 85c. quality for

Silks at the low price of

ground with new colored designsexcellent value at \$1.25 a yard—only \$1.00.

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shown on any counter. It would be impossible to duplicate these

EVENING SILKS. Our Stock of Evening Silks heres was so complete as now. Every style and quality is represented, embracing a wide range of his tints and shadings.

goods at 25 to 50 per cent. more than we are offering them. Such an opportunity to buy Silks in so large a variety at such extraordi-TAFFETA PLISSE. narily low prices was never before known in this city.

The bean-ideal fabric for evening The beau-plear laurie for evening wear—an exquisite navelty. Light cool, and crisp. In texture—a light as the traditional feather. In design-a stripe of Tafeta, Laring the appearance of being pushers to narrow flat stripes of Satin. I possesses the charming qualities never crushing, Crumple it-is smooths out like the change from tears to bright smiles, and the price is within the most reasonable de mands. Ask to see it.

A beautiful line of Persian Sika in light tints for evening wear— \$1.50 a Yard. White and Cream Gros de Londres, a very handsome Evening Silk, regular \$1.50 value for

\$1.15. White and Cream Brocade Saks in new designs. \$1, \$1,25, \$1,35 and \$1.50 a Yard. Evening mon-and light shades, 81.15 a Yard. Evening Moire in White, Cream,

Evening shades in Taffeta Suks-4 special value. \$1.00 a Yard. Canton Crepes for stening west Only 30c, a Yard,

DRESS GOODS.

48-inch Fine, All-Wool, Scotch Serges-spring weight. 81.25 a Yard. Fine All-Wool Fancy Novelto

Sustings in a full line of \$1.00 a Yard 52-inch Fine All-Wool Court Cloths—in the new spring shadings—the \$1.00 quality of last

A large line of new weaves in New Spring Dress Fabrica, as gos quality as any we have ever before shown at \$1.00 yard. 75c. a Yard. 45-inch French Imperial Serge,

Only 50c, yard 45-meh All-Wool Storm Sergthe old favorite, all the popular a orings. The price of this will always been 75c, yard, now only

the width and see the quality.

All-Wool Scotch Mixtures and Novelty Weaves, in checks and stripes,

Only 50c. yard. All-Wool Checks and Broker Plaids-the usual 50c. kind, 37 1-2c, yard.

A line of Wool Mixed Faser Sutings, in all the popular shadings for

PATTERNSUITS, \$2.00 Yard. no two alike, and every one the

highest novelty of the season. The popular Crepon effects in all the new wrinkles, \$13.50 to \$25 a pattern.

Paris Novelty Patterns, the best of the French art, 88 to \$12.50 a pattern.

giving you qualities not simply as good as may be obtained elsowhere, but botter. We will show all the best Linens—Irish, Scotch, German, BLACK DRESS GOODS. and French—in strong, substantial qualities and a variety of patterns and designs that are new and desira-

Compliments keep coming in or our Black Dress Goods stock. The styles, the variety, and the prices are what please our pairons. Never before have we shown such

an immense stock and never before have we sold reliable goods at so small prices. If you have have bought any Black Dress Goods from us now is the time to do so. You will not only save money, but you will get the best value you ever saw offered.

THE FOURQUREAN-PRICE CO.

"HEBREW HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM."-The regular annual meeting of the HEBREW HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM will be held at the synapogue "Beth Anaba" SUNDAY, 3th instant, at 3 o'clock P. M. Members and friends are invited to attent. Members and friends are invited to at tend.

By order of the President.

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Scoretary and Treasurer.

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CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY.

Pichmond Va., January 9, 1855.
TO THE SIDERHOLDERS OF THE CHEBAPEAKE AND GHIO RAIL-WAY COMPANY:
Notice is hereby such that a general meeting of the SIOCK-HCLDERS OF THE CHEBAPEAKE AND OHIO RAIL-WAY CUMFANY will be held at 13 of February, 1866, at the office of the cempany. Pace Building, corner of Eighth and Main streets, in the city of Richmond, State of Virginia, for the following purposes:
To consider the propriety of authorizing and to authorize the Board of Directors:

To consider the propriety of authorizing and to authorize the Board of Directors:

(a) To contract in the name of this company, severally or jointy—

Grown of the company property, in Louisville and Jefferson county, Ky, and Jefferson ville. Ind., and

(b) For the use of the Louisville and Jefferson county, Ky, and Jefferson ville. Ind., and

(c) For the acquisition of the securities of Said company; and

(d) To execute a joint and several guaranty with the Cleveland. Cincinnat. Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company, or with that as one or more other companies, of mortage bonds of the Louisville and Jefferson with Pridge Company for a principal sum not exceeding \$6,00,000, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 4 per cent. per annum, both principal and interest being payable it gold, and the grincipal sum being payable on the first day of March. 1846.

(c) To make any trackage or other agreement valating to the moving of its traffic between Lexington and Louisville: And for the transaction of such other buchness as may lawfully come before the meeting.

The stock-transfer books of the company will close at the office of Messra. J. P. Morgan & Co., 21 Wall street, New York, on SATURDAY, the 2tin day of January, 1856, at 12 M., and will reopen on TUREDAY, the 2tin day of February, 1855, at 10 A. M.

By order of the Roard of Directors.

(c) E. WELLPORD.

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